

Introduced by Senator Lowenthal

February 22, 2005

An act to amend Section 41780 of the Public Resources Code, relating to solid waste.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 928, as introduced, Lowenthal. Public resources: solid waste.

Existing law requires a city or county source reduction element to divert 50% of all solid waste from landfill disposal or transformation by January 1, 2000, through source reduction, recycling, and composting activities.

This bill would change that percentage to an unspecified amount as of January 1, 2011.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 41780 of the Public Resources Code is
2 amended to read:
3 41780. (a) Each city or county source reduction and recycling
4 element shall include an implementation schedule that shows
5 both of the following:
6 (1) For the initial element, the city or county shall divert 25
7 percent of all solid waste from landfill disposal or transformation
8 by January 1, 1995, through source reduction, recycling, and
9 composting activities.
10 (2) Except as provided in Sections 41783, 41784, and 41785,
11 for the first and each subsequent revision of the element, the city
12 or county shall divert 50 percent of all solid waste ~~on and after~~ by

- 1 January 1, 2000, *and* _____ *percent on and after January 1, 2011,*
2 *through source reduction, recycling, and composting activities.*
3 (b) Nothing in this part prohibits a city or county from
4 implementing source reduction, recycling, and composting
5 activities designed to exceed these requirements.